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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Paul Azbill, of Indianapolis, was here the first of the week.
Mrs. Elizabeth Snow is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Pile.
Mr. Thos. Keeney, of Pulaski county, is visiting in Adair.

Mr. H. R. Turner and wife, Campbellsville, were here the first of the week.

The condition of Mrs. Geo. Nell is very critical. She can live but a short time.

Messrs. R. T. Baker, and J. D. Sharp, Amandaville, were here Monday.

Mrs. Kizzie Murrell is spending a few weeks at Tatham Springs, Washington county.

Miss Bonnie Hockersmith, of Frankfort, has returned to Columbia and is at the Marcom Hotel.

Messrs. J. H. Chew and T. L. Humble, two prominent stove dealers, were here last Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, who has been visiting in Gradyville for several weeks, returned home a few days ago.

Mr. Forest Putnam, after a week's stay with old friends, left for his home in Louisville yesterday morning.

Mr. Leonard Goodman and his sister, Miss Mabel Goodman, of Glasgow, are visiting the family of Mr. Sam Lewis.

Messdames Z. M. Staples, Gordon Montgomery and Sam N. Hancock, this place, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Harriet Browning, near Milltown, last Wednesday.

Mr. Mont Feese, who has been employed with the Spectator for several years, left for Louisville the first of the week with the view of securing a position. He left with the good will of his late employer.

LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Mr. Judd Phillips has been appointed post-master at Liberty.

Match game of base ball between Columbia and Greensburg at this place next Saturday afternoon.

Lost.—A small four-bladed pocket-knife. The finder will please return to this office.

Tom Ed Jeffries sold a saddle gelding Monday to Pemberton Bros. for \$15.

For Sale.—Four fine 2 year old jersey heifers, bred to fine jersey bulls. All from fine milk strings. J. R. Smith, Campbellsville, Ky. 4-t

Old Folks singing at the Methodist church, this place, the 4th Sunday in this month. Come, every body.

Hon. L. T. Neat announced himself a candidate for Senator from this district last Monday. Success to you, Tom.

There will be singing at Christian Chapel the 3d Sunday in August, conducted by W. E. Stapp and others. Every body come.

Lost, on the road to Sewelton, three small memorandum books and a pair of eye glasses, in a case. The finder will please return to this office.
J. F. MONTGOMERY

There will be an open session of the Russell Springs Medical Society at the court-house tomorrow (Thursday) night. The exercises promise to be interesting, and every body is cordially invited.

Dr. N. M. Hancock, of Cane Valley, made a lucky find last Monday morning. Fourteen years ago he was wearing a plain gold ring which had been given him by his mother two years previous and just before her death. One morning while at his stable, holding his horse by the bridle reins, the animal made a quick jerk, and the ring was thrown from his finger. For fourteen years he had his stable cleaned at frequent intervals, hoping to find the ring, but was not rewarded until last Monday morning. The doctor was greatly rejoiced, as he prized the treasure very sacred, a gift from his dead mother.

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J. B. COFFEY, President.

C. S. HARRIS, Secretary.

DIED.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston, an old and highly respected lady of this county, died last Wednesday at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. A. I. Hurt. The deceased had been in declining health for quite awhile and her death was not unexpected. She was the widow of the late John Waller Johnston, who was a prominent citizen of this county. The deceased leaves several children, Mr. S. D. Johnston, of Marianna, Ark., being one of the number, and who reached here a few hours after his mother had passed away.

I have three yearling steers for sale. Good stock. All red.
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To the citizens of Adair county: The undersigned are in the tombstone business at Campbellsville, Ky. Campbellsville is your neighbor, and as you have no manufacturer of this work in Columbia, would it not be to your interest to patronize us? We guarantee satisfaction both in quality of work and prices. We solicit work from Adair and adjoining counties.

COAKLEY & SIMS BROS.

A series of meetings are now in progress at the Milltown Methodist church, conducted by Rev. F. E. Lewis, assisted by Rev. W. A. Grant. Rev. Lewis closed a very successful meeting at Neatsburg last Sunday. There were 15 additions to the church.

A sudden death occurred near Cane Valley last Monday. The wife of Mr. Richard Balt was eating an apple when she became choked, dying in a very short time.

Mr. M. Rey Yarberry made a speech to a fair sized crowd in the court-house Monday afternoon in the interest of W. Godfrey Hunter. Mr. Yarberry reviewed the troubles of the Middleboro convention, of the campaign and contest, and accepting his statements a good part of the Republican party is indeed vile and unreliable. Col. L. T. Neat followed in a brief but plain speech in which he showed his lack of confidence in W. Godfrey Hunter. It seemed to be just a telling on each crowd, and if both sides are as represented then all we have to say is, Gosh, its terrible.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Bro. Oliver C. Morrison, who was a native of Adair county, and who left here one year ago for the West, died in Fannin county, Texas, July 13, 1904. He had been a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church forty years, and a Mason over fifty years. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, as Masons, humbly commend his spirit to God who gave it, and reverently bow our heads in submission to His holy will.

2d. That we wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

3d. That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the records of this lodge and a copy tendered his family.

4th. That a copy of these resolutions be presented to The Adair County News and Columbia Spectator for publication.

By action of Gradyville Lodge, No. 251, F. and A. M.

This 23d day of July, 1904.

W. L. SHARP,
G. T. FLOWERS, SR.,
H. C. WALKER,
Committee.

Music, music at the Columbia Fair.

CANEY FORK.

The long dry spell that prevailed over this section has been broken and now abundant rains are giving bright prospects for abundant crops of all kinds. The wheat and oat crops are being threshed and are a good yield.

Hogs are plentiful. Stock of all kinds in fine shape, while farmers are in a high state of rejoicing.

Mrs. Robt. Bridgewater, of near Camp Knox, is very low with lung trouble, not expected to live.

Miss Hallie Cundiff, daughter of Perry Cundiff, formerly of Cane Valley, is teaching our school. Good attendance and good work is reported.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the Sunday-school convention at Ebenezer on the 28th.

The prospects for a railroad connecting Columbia with the outside world meets with the hearty approval of every person in this section. Every effort should be put forth to secure this road. We are also rejoicing that Columbia is to have a fair. This beautiful inland town not only holds her own and is the center of attraction for this section of the country, but is fast forging its way to the front.

J. O. Haskins and wife, J. T. Poore, wife and little daughter, of Bowling Green, are visiting friends and relatives in Green and Taylor counties. They will spend several weeks around their old homes near Camp Knox.

We trust that the News and Spectator will stir up an interest in the development of Adair and Green counties as a part of the oil field of Kentucky. There is no doubt, but that the geological formations and psychological conditions for Adair and Green counties as an oil producing territory are as good as that of Cumberland and Knox counties and speculators seeking investment for capital are losing time and money in not opening up a field here.

TIME TO KILL 'EM.

It may not be generally known, but nevertheless it is a fact that there is a certain time in each year when trees, shrubs and many weeds can be killed with very little effort on the part of the farmer. Perhaps it may be a condition of the sap at this particular period which renders external interference so fatal to them, and, perhaps it may be something of a chemical nature. However, they die from wounds which at other periods would be scarcely perceptible. I have known trees to be killed by having a single nail driven in them.

Moreover, at this crisis, if a tree is belted, its leaves will wither in a short time after chopping ceases, and weeds being in the morning will be thoroughly wilted before sunset. The 14th day of August is the day of all days for destroying troublesome trees and weeds. Let every farmer jot this date down.

BRAIN LEAKS

The broader the smile the shorter the task.
Everything is for the best, even the worst of it.

A smile will go a mile while a frown is going a furlong.

The "sanest Fourth" was where it rained the hardest.

Ever notice how long the day is when you start it off grumbling?

We'd like to go fishing just once when only the little fish got away.

It is a waste of time to pray for what you want unless you really need it.

There are three epochs in a man's life—the day he catches his first fish, the day he hears the "wall of his first born, and the day he realizes the significance of today.

A man never knows how much work a woman has to do until his wife goes

away for a couple of weeks and he undertakes to straighten up the house the day before she returns.

The man who never makes mistakes is the man who never undertakes anything.

When a man begins to wonder if he looks as old as he really is, it is a sign that he does.

The writers of the best old songs are dead. The writers of some of the new ones ought to be.

The man who never ate watermelon save with a fork has an awfully good time coming to him.

The men who talk loudest about the necessity of war are generally the men who stay at home and finance it.

We will probably never have enough money to enable us to set aside a herd, and even if we do have enough we couldn't do it. We'll set aside a fund to reward the girls who bake better bread than their mothers.

If there were no weeds to interfere with the garden perhaps we wouldn't enjoy eating the vegetables so much.

We are inclined to believe that the hardest work we could do would be what some men think is having a good time.

The greatest bore in town is the man who insists on telling you his troubles when you want to tell him your own.

Nearly every man would like to have a job that would permit him to get up whenever he pleased in the morning to begin it.

We have often wondered why some corporations did not try obeying the law just to see if it wasn't cheaper than hiring costly lawyers to fight it. What has become of the sweet old grandmother who could remember when tomatoes were called "love apples" and everybody thought they were poison?

SUNFLOWER PHILOSOPHY.

We sometimes think it is foolish to worry over trying not to worry.

We can't imagine a more dangerous combination than a loose tongue and ignorance.

A man who will submit to being imposed upon by his kin can be worked by a book agent.

If you are invited to a party, attend or give a mighty good excuse, unless you can stand being roasted.

The average, housekeeper's idea of hell is a place where she will have to wash dishes forever and ever.

A girl misses her mother when she dies, but she doesn't fully appreciate what the loss really means till her father acts like marrying again.

"No wonder people hate you," writes a subscriber to the editor, "you are always saying things." We say those things to make people love us. That's where we lack judgment.

If a daughter of the house goes riding in a rubber-tired rig with a nice young man the neighbors don't happen to see it, but does any one imagine they wouldn't see it if the patrol wags on were to call?

At the present time only three states Montana, Nevada and Wyoming, and three territories, Alaska, Arizona, and New Mexico, are from the English sparrow. This winged monopolist has found its way into Utah. It is noted that the more ornithological bulletins there are published against it, the more it spreads and increases. It also thrives on poisons and traps increases.

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Georgetown, August 9—12 days.
Harrodsburg, August 9—3 days.
Lawrenceburg, August 16—4 days.
Shepherdsville, August 23—4 days.
Springfield, August 24—4 days.
Glasgow, August 31—4 days.
Elizabethtown, Sept. 6—4 days.

LAND FOR SALE.

The land which was owned by the late W. B. Hurt is for sale. There are 372 acres, more or less. Good dwelling, barns, fencing, etc. All cleared land is in grass and corn. This farm is well-watered and the timber is good. Also one tract known as the Logan Murrell land upon which is a good dwelling, one and a half miles from Columbia. For particulars address

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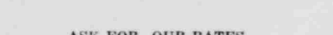
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Hides, Green 5

Hides Dry 10

Ginseng 4.50

Spring Chickens 94

Old Hens 7

Eggs 10 1/2

Guinea Eggs 6

Dried Apples 24

Yellow Roots 40

May Apple 24

This report will be submitted for revision weekly.